

That M^r Solomon Clayton M^r William Hemsley M^r William L. H. J. Elliot and M^r Edward Wright Sen^r Members returned for Queen Anns County are duly Elected.

That M^r John Edmundson M^r Perry Benson M^r Edward Needles and M^r Nicholas Goldsborough Members returned for Talbot County are Duly Elected.

That M^r Peter Taylor Capⁿ Henry Hooper M^r Thomas Woolford and M^r John Brannock Members returned for Dorchester County are Duly Elected.

That Coll^o Levin Gale M^r Francis Allen, M^r John Caldwell and Capⁿ George Dashiell Members returned for Somerset County are duly Elected.

That M^r William Cumming one of the Members returned for the City of Annapolis is duly Elected.

And your Committee having Examined the Polls taken for Capⁿ Robert Gordon and M^r Vachel Denton Candidates at an Election for the City of Annapolis aforesaid and haveing heard the Allegations of both parties and their Witnesses and Council in Relation to the said Election and also having Considered the Charter of the said City and the Manner of Elections therein Prescribed, We find an Equal Number of Votes on Each Pole taken for the Candidates aforesaid, But for that it Appears to this Committee that the Charter of the said City was not Pursued & the Manner of Elections Observed as therein Directed

Therefore your Committee are of Opinion that the said Capⁿ Robert Gordon is not duly Elected

All which we Submitt to the Consideration of the House

Signed p Order John Gibson Cl. Com.

Coll^o Tilghman Coll^o Ward and Michael Howard Esq^r from the p. 376 Upper House of Assembly Delivered to M^r Speaker the following Message. [The text of this message is printed at page 382.]

The House Concur with the said Report M^r Gordon is Discharged from further Attendance on this House.

Ordered that the Clerk Issue Warrant to the Secretary to Issue a new Writt of Election Directed to the Mayor Recorder and Alderman of the City of Annapolis.

Ordered that no Petition be received after Saturday.

The House Adjourns untill Two of the Clock in the Afternoon.

Wednesday at Two of the Clock in the Afternoon.

The House met according to Adjournment, The Members were Called and all Present as in the Morning.

M^r Smith is Added to the Committee of Accounts.